



## **ANDREWS INTERNATIONAL HOLLYWOOD/SUNSET BID PATROL**

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### **SUMMARY FOR 8-13-12 THROUGH 9-9-12**

This report takes us through week 36 of 2012. It has been a long hot summer and it does not appear to be cooling down anytime soon. In looking at trends, we see that our arrests are almost exactly the same when compared with last year at this time. Business checks are up by 185. Radio calls are up dramatically showing an increase of 147.

The increase in radio calls is of concern as we find ourselves with less and less discretionary time. It leaves less time for discretionary patrol. It makes it more difficult to get our high visibility foot patrols, T-3's and bicycles out on the street. I believe that this is an issue that the Board should find of interest as we continue to find the proper balance in pursuing our duties.

### **EVENTS OF INTEREST:**

On 8-15-12, our Officers saw three men arrive by car at the McDonalds located at 1413 Vine. They positioned themselves at three separate locations, and began aggressively panhandling. They were advised and departed the location.

On 8-31-12, we received a rare radio call to respond to the Social Security building on Vine regarding a disruptive male. Upon arrival we found the Federal Police on scene. Their Officer came out of the building and asked our Officers for assistance in contacting the hostile party who was standing on the sidewalk just south of the entrance. The Officer ran the man for warrants with negative results. The man was then sent on his way and asked not to return until 9-4-12.

On 9-1-12, our officers were making a business contact at the Pollo Loco located at 1240 Vine. An employee named 'Rico' approached and said "Thanks for all you guys do. There are a lot less people sleeping around the business than when I come, thanks to you guys".

### **MEETINGS ATTENDED:**

- 1) 8-14-12 SBID Board Meeting
- 2) 8-14-12 HHOT Homeless Outreach Meeting
- 3) 8-15-12 Payroll System Training



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- 4) 8-21-12 LAPD Crime Control Meeting
- 5) 8-23-12 Jack in the Box Owner security Meeting
- 6) 8-28-12 LAPD Crime Control Meeting
- 7) 8-28-12 HHOT Homeless Outreach Meeting
- 8) 8-30-12 1600 Vine New Owners Security Meeting
- 9) 9-6-12 BID Security Issues Meeting

### **OUTREACH:**

On 8-17-12, our Officers Mike and Mike coordinated with Housing works in order to get a placement for the longtime homeless Roxanne Henderson. We believe that she is in grave danger if she remains on the streets. The Mike's wrote a letter in support of an intervention. The intervention did take place and she was not cooperative. The LAPD took custody and transported her to the hospital.

On 8-22-12, our Officers took eight large boxes of clothing to the Church of the Blessed Sacrament. The clothing was donated by Andrews International employees for the homeless.

On 8-25-12, our Officers Mike and Mike took clothing and a large suitcase to the homeless Roxanne at Lexington and Franklin.

On 8-27-12, our Officers found Enrique on the ground at 6200 Banner. He said he was homeless and in medical distress. We called Paramedics and RA 27 arrived and transported him to the hospital.

On 8-31-12, our Officers Mike and Mike spoke to Shannon. She is a young homeless woman that our guys spent considerable time assisting. She said she has been staying at the Covenant House and thanked them for helping her get there.

On 9-1-12, we found a male transient named Terry down on the sidewalk at 6121 Sunset Blvd. He was in distress and we called Paramedics. RA 27 responded and transported him to the hospital.

On 9-4-12, our Officers found Terry down on the sidewalk at 6121 Sunset Blvd. He was in the direct sunlight. We called Paramedics as he was in distress. It was believed that he was suffering from heat stroke. The Paramedics transported him to the hospital. We have arrested Terry four times this year for drinking in public. Despite this, we continue to try to assist him.

The next day, at about 5:45 P.M. our Officers found Terry down on the sidewalk at Yucca and Wilcox. He had no memory of being taken to



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the hospital the previous day. We have noticed that he has lost much weight in the last month and seems to be drinking alcohol non-stop.

About a half hour later, we found Terry and five of his friends sprawled out on the sidewalk in front of the 7-11 located at 1810 Cahuenga.

On 9-4-12, our Officers Mike and Mike contacted the homeless Mary who was sitting on the sidewalk at 1132 Vine. They tried to get her to commit to meeting with Reggie from PATH regarding her completing paperwork so that she can be moved into

her own apartment. She politely refused. They advised that she could not camp on the sidewalk and she agreed to move as soon as Social Security opened so she could get her check.

### **ENFORCEMENT:**

In the Sunset BID, we have made a total of 216 arrests. One hundred and thirty four were for drinking in public, 19 for urinating in public, 14 for trespass, 7 for battery, 10 for blocking the sidewalk, 4 for theft, 1 for vandalism, 16 for miscellaneous misdemeanors, and 11 for felonies. We also made 213 homeless referrals, assisted 105 agencies, provided extra patrol to 488 locations, assisted 2850 citizens, handled 1018 radio calls for service, and made 1578 business contacts.

### **NOTED ARRESTS:**

On 8-13-12, we arrested Gregg for drinking in public at the Rite Aid located at 6130 Sunset Blvd. We transported him to the LAPD Station, but were not able to positively identify him. Watch Commander Sgt. Slater decided to release the suspect as they only had three cars in the field.

On 8-14-12, our Officers saw Ryan tagging Amoeba Music located at 6400 Sunset Blvd. He was placed under arrest for Vandalism.

On 8-15-12, Officer Hayes found Bradley lying across the sidewalk in the 1200 block of Vine. When asked to refrain from blocking the sidewalk he replied "F\_\_\_ You! After two more warnings, Bradley still refused to comply. He was then told that he was being placed under arrest. As Hayes tried to handcuff him, Bradley turned and struck him with an elbow. He then started throwing punches. Hayes struck the suspect one time. Bradley fell to his knees and submitted to the



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arrest for Battery. Hayes received minor injuries to his hand that required medical treatment.

On 8-24-12, we arrested George 'Baby Boy' Robinson for drinking in public at 1300 Gower. BID Security's first documented contact with him was on 3-12-99 when he was questioned regarding a strong armed robbery. Between that contact and 5-9-11, we arrested him 21 times for drinking in public, 6 times for illegal possession of a shopping cart, 3 times for urinating in public, 3 times for blocking the sidewalk and once each for theft, lewd conduct and battery. George dropped off our radar screen for over a year, but reappeared with this arrest.

On 9-6-12, we arrested Robert for drinking in public at 1123 Vine. This simple arrest took three hours to process as Robert had over twenty aliases and it was very difficult to verify his identity.

On 9-6-12, we arrested Christopher for drinking in public at 6206 Sunset Blvd. After turning him over to the LAPD we learned that he is on Parole for Narcotics Sales.

### **DEPLOYMENT:**

During this period we continued our patrol from 6:00 A.M. until 8:00P.M.on Monday through Friday, 12:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. on Saturday and 10:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M. on Sunday

### **TRAINING UPDATE:**

During this period, our Officers received training in legal update, workplace violence, cultural diversity and range qualification and weapon manipulation.



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